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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Romain DURAND, Jean-Luc PELLEGRINELLI
A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR BLOCKING AN OPERATION INVOLVING
TWO IDENTIFIERS
Assignee: ALCATEL
Our Ref. Q64581

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including 12 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and 2 sheets of drawings. The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date. Also enclosed is the Information Disclosure Statement.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	11 - 20	=		x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent claims	2 - 3	=		x	\$80.00	=	\$0.00
Base Fee							\$710.00
TOTAL FEE							\$710.00

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$710.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from May 30, 2000 based on France Application No. 0006957. The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
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